

(c) what the petition says regarding the grievances of Muslims in the matter ;

(d) when Government proposes to remove the said toddy shop farther away and thus redress the grievances of the Muslims ?

Mr. U. Kandar Menon.—(a) The shop was removed to a site where it was being located for a long time past without objection and was also screened from public view

(b) Yes.

(c) It says that they are not satisfied with the change of site.

(d) The Government are considering the question whether it is possible to remove it to another site this year itself.

Officers of the Medical Department kept in the same locality.

219. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to state who are the officers in the Medical Department of the State who are kept now for more than 3 years in the same locality, how long they have been there and the special reasons, if any, for keeping them so long there in each case ?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao.—(1) Assistant Surgeon, Miss. C. M. D'Souza, Maternity Hospital, 15 years.

(2) Do. M. J. Ittoop, General Hospital, 9 years and 11 months.

(3) Do. Rama Menon, Palace Dispensary, 13 years.

(4) Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Mrs. T Francis, Women's Hospital, Mattancheri, 9 years.

(5) Do T. Koshi Mathew, General Hospital, 4 years 11 months.

(6) Do. C. V. Sankarammal, General Hospital, 4 years 8 months.

(7) Do. K. P. Masilamani, Civil Hospital, Trichur, 5 years and 1 month.

(8) Assistant Surgeon, C. Narayana Menon, Nennmara, 4 years and 3 months.

(9) Sub-Assistant Surgeon, P. M. Krishnan, Male Dispensary, Mattancheri, 3 years 3 months.

(10) Do Miss. A. Mathew, Kunnankulam, 5 years 5 months.

For special reasons for keeping Nos. 1 to 10 please see answer to questions No. 51 (b) of the Legislative Session of 1102, No. 231 of the Legislative Session of 1104 and No. 66 of the same Session of 1105. Some of them are however waiting their turn for transfer.